

[54] **PORTABLE CARRYING CASE AND SOUND SHIELD FOR A PRINTER WITH A SELF-CONTAINED SUPPORT STAND**

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[57] **ABSTRACT**

A portable carrying case for a printer of a computer system that doubles as an acoustical enclosure and may be converted into a printer stand. The case includes a base and removable cover which are both padded with urethane foam to protect the printer while being carried and to reduce noise during printing. The cover and base also include slots for accommodating bottom or back feed printers. A frame is contained within the base and is removable to elevate the case to convert it into a printer stand.

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